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SHENANDOAH, PA., WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 1891.

ONE CENT.

THE SURE ROAD TO OPULENCE LIES KNEE-DEEP THROUGH PRINTER'S INK

Republican State Ticket.

AUDITOR GENERAL:
GEN. DAVID McMURTRIE GREGG

STATE TREASURER:
CAPT. JOHN W. MORRISON.

Delegates-at-Large to the Constitutional Convention:
A. S. L. SHIELDS, ISAIAH C. WEAR,
WM. I. SCHAEFFER, HERMAN KIRKAMER,
LOUIS W. HALL, M. L. KAUFFMAN,
FRANK BREEDER, H. M. EDWARDS,
H. C. M'CORMICK, GEO. S. SCHMIDT,
J. H. POMEROY, CYRUS ELDER,
JOHN CESSNA, JOHN S. LAMBIE,
WM. B. ROGERS, JAMES L. BROWN,
TERRENCE V. POWDERLY.

County Ticket.

Judge—Hon. D. B. Green.
Sheriff—Benjamin Smith.
Jury Commissioner—Maj. William Clark.
Poor Director—George Heffner.
Unexpired Term—Harry H. McGinnis
Constitutional Convention Delegates:
ROBERT ALLISON, Port Carbon,
S. BIRD EDWARDS, Pottsville,
J. H. POMEROY, Shenandoah,
JOHN J. COYLE, Mahanoy City.

Wright as Known at Home.
"Mr. Wright is a leading lawyer and skilled financier, an able political local organizer and knows where to put his hands even on Republican votes when he needs them," says the Allentown Chronicle of the Democratic candidate for auditor general. "He can talk profusion at a tariff demonstration and free trade at a Democratic county meeting, but he will have hard work to convince anybody that with the issues before the people this year and the faultless ticket the Republicans have in the field he stands any show of election."
"The Republican convention, too, was run by the people. It was free from boss rule. Mr. Harrity's convention was the worst exhibition of the insincerity of Democratic anti-boss pretensions we have ever had in this state. It is ridiculous for it to talk reform."

A Tip to Business Men.
At Logan, one of the principal towns in the Hocking valley coal regions, where Major McKinley spoke a few days ago, says the New York Press, he was greeted by a delegation of fifty former Democrats, including a number of farmers, who declared their intention of voting for him. Among them was Darius White, a wealthy furniture manufacturer, whose family numbers fifteen voters, all heretofore Democrats, but now determined to vote for the Republican ticket. There are many more business men who will follow Mr. White's example, not only in Ohio, but in all the states.

45 CENTS for a window shade with fringe, others for 50c, 65c and up. Shades made for stores and private dwellings. A new lot of shades and fringes to match.
C. D. FRICKE'S
Carpet Store, 10 South Jardin St., near Centre

PERSONAL.

Miss Emma Link left town yesterday for Chicago.
William Ferguson, of Jeddo, is the guest of friends in town.
John C. New is confined to his bed by a severe attack of rheumatism.
Miss Ida Leisig went to Philadelphia to-day to attend Wanamaker's fall and winter opening.
James Leckie, of Wilkes-Barre, is enjoying the beauties of the largest town in the county.
Henry Wiederhold spent to-day in Philadelphia, visiting his wife, who is undergoing medical treatment there.
Oliver Eisenhauer, one of the composers on the Wilkes-Barre News-Dealer, is spending a few days with relatives in town.

Ladies! Call at the Misses Leisig's store and see all the latest styles and finest styles in fall and winter millinery. 9-23-4

A Literary Club.

The Excelsior Club room is being renovated and refurbished for the winter season. New carpet, furniture and decorations will be placed in the room and the library will be replenished. It is intended that the club shall be more of a literary character in the future, and one night a week will be set apart for such meetings.

Prime oysters, the best the market affords, always on hand at Colet's. 8-22-4

The Great Excursion.

To-morrow is the day fixed for the excursion to the state fair at Bethlehem under the auspices of Shenandoah Tribe, No. 155, Improved Order of Red Men. The train will leave the Lehigh Valley depot at 5:52 a. m. Tickets for the round trip only \$1.75.

The Misses Leisig's have the largest stock of fall and winter millinery. 9-23-4

Pay Your Taxes.

Notice is hereby given that all persons in arrears for 1890-91 taxes must make settlement at once, as the undersigned is determined to make his collections complete in the near future, even if arrests must be resorted to.
CHRIST. SCHMIDT,
Tax Collector.

Malicious Mischief.

Five boys named Waters, Hesser, PARRY, Lindenmuth and Kaelly have been placed under \$100 bail, each, for malicious mischief, on complaint of Dr. Straup. The boys tore down signs tacked upon the stable and committed other acts of mischief.

Oysters are in season and the best in the market are at Colet's. 8-22-4

Another Lot

Of second-hand school books, just received from New York Clearing Sale Company. For sale at half price at Max Reese's. 9-5-4

Best work done at Brennan's steam laundry. Everything white and spotless. Lace curtains a specialty. All work guaranteed.

TOWN TALKER!

THOUGHTS ON THIS AND THAT
THREADED TOGETHER.

THEMES TERSELY TABULATED

The Tattle of the Tattlers Timely
Taken and Told Typographically
in a Tasteful and Tempting
Tone.



A wide-awake impostor has succeeded in getting in considerable work on a number of dupes in the county, on the strength of the soldiers' monument to be dedicated at Pottsville on October 1st. He is selling bricks with the promise that the names of purchasers will be shown on the face of them in the monument. As no bricks will face the structure the fraud is quite plain. A number of Wm. Penn. people are victims.

A young man with threadbare, dusky attire strutted up and down the Lehigh Valley depot platform the other day and vainly endeavored to make an impression upon young ladies awaiting the arrival of a train. He was a young man whose appearance indicated former prosperity, or a fortunate acquaintance with a man of large and fashionable wardrobe. The Ward McAllister outfit made his figure as presentable as an iceberg in a tennis suit, but he was happy in the thought that he was cutting a stunning display. A reporter watched him with interest, but the young ladies the fellow attempted to dazzle remained as cold as stone. Up and down the platform the imitation dude strutted, but suddenly he lost his hold on the graceful stride. Evidently there was something wrong. His promenading territory gradually became more circumscribed and his gaze seemed to become fixed upon the platform. Suddenly he stopped, nervously, threw glances right and left, stooped, as if in the act of fixing a shoe lace, resumed an erect position, and then suddenly darted around the north end of the depot. Had his corset string broken, or had he lost his garter? No, dear girls; his hand had clutched a dinged cigar stump.

The Hungarians living in the Robbins row of houses that border on the Lehigh Valley railroad, opposite the lumber yard, take great interest in poultry raising, and when a fowl meets death beneath the heartless wheels of passing trains its loss smites the owner with deep sadness. Hence it is that the women of the row watch the fowl as a mother guards her child. Yesterday one of the women saw one of her chickens on the track. She chased it, and after a good run and many dodges, succeeded in making a capture. Taking the chicken in one arm she slipped it two or three times on the head and chattered away in Hungarian as a woman scolds a guilty boy.

There was an exciting scene at the railroad trestle near the Pennsylvania depot one afternoon this week. A cow attempted to go over the narrow board-walk of the trestle and when about one-third over missed its footing. One of its hind and fore legs went down between the sills and it was unable to move. Several men went to her cowhide assistance and, after considerable work, succeeded in getting her back to a place of safety before the arrival of the train.

Gigantic 10-cent Indian show at Burke's opera house, Frackville, this evening.

Serenade.

The Grant Cornet Band last night serenaded N. J. Owens, outside foreman at the Indian Ridge colliery, and his bride. Mr. Owens subsequently regaled the members of the band at J. H. Evans' hostelry and at the same time the gold medal won by the band at Lakeside last month was formally presented to Prof. Zeitz, the leader.

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Married.

Miss Hannah Wooster and William Lehnler, both of town, were married last night in the parsonage of the Evangelical church by Rev. J. M. Glick.

Tremendous big Indian show at Burke's opera house, Frackville, this evening.

Second hand school books bought and sold at Max Reese's.

Another Challenge.

EDITOR HERALD:—Having my forfeit of \$5 on deposit for a paper hanging match, and J. P. Cardin and myself having failed to come to an agreement for such a match, I hereby challenge more definitely for Mr. Cardin's especial benefit, and leave the terms open for any other tradesman in the town, in case he fails to accept. I will hang in grain, 6 bins and sides to be in grain, with grain 18 inches wide and one inch picture moulding. The match to be for best work and time. This challenge to be accepted on or before Tuesday, 28th inst. I am now ready to back my claim to the title of a good mechanic and that I have the best corps of mechanics the town affords.

WILLIAM LLEWELLYN.

Shenandoah, Pa., Sept. 22, 1890.

Always go to Colet's, South Main street, for your prime oysters. 8-22-4

Heaviest in Its History.

The actual number of coal trains on Saturday's run was 54 and the number of cars 8,615. The best previous record was made September 5, when 39 locomotives brought down 9,578 cars. The shipments, averaging each car at 61 tons, is estimated at 61,111 gross tons, the heaviest single day's shipment in the history of the P. & R. Company. Each train was 1,832 feet in length, and the 54 trains 98,928 feet, or over 18 miles, equal to one continuous stretch of engines and coal cars extending from Reading to Pottsville.

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GEN. DAVID McMURTRIE GREGG
Republican Candidate for Auditor General.

In speaking of General Gregg's candidacy for auditor general, Colonel John McElroy, editor of The National Tribune, and one of the best posted men in journalism on military plans and operations and the personal services and brave deeds of officers on the Union side in the rebellion, while chatting in Washington the other day said:
"Any one who knows anything about the services of the higher officers in the late war must feel gratified at the nomination of General Gregg. The Pennsylvanians should feel proud of such a candidate, and setting all politics aside should show their appreciation of his distinguished services by giving him an enormous majority."
"Gregg, next to Meade, Hancock and Reynolds, was the greatest soldier Pennsylvania produced. By all means he was a greater soldier than Beaver. He was second only to the first cavalry leader of the national arms. The first was the only Sheridan. The people of the country never had a chance to know of Gregg at his real worth on account of his inherent modesty."

"Take General James H. Wilson, part of whose command captured Jefferson Davis; he, by some, is thought the most dashing cavalry officer next to Sheridan. But Wilson was boomed considerably during the last year of the war, and having been associated with General Grant's headquarters he had some advantage of opportunities."
"I should put Gregg first. He was the same grade as Wilson, Buford, Kilpatrick, Merritt, Custer, but he was superior to any of them. He commanded a division when they began to mass the cavalry, and his services were incomparable. He fought the great cavalry fights which preceded Gettysburg, and history records with pride the services of his battalions of troopers at that desperate crisis of arms in the war for the Union."

"Gregg was a great soldier, and for the people of Pennsylvania to do anything but to handsomely honor him in this campaign for civic office would impeach their gratitude, and it might almost be said their patriotism."

Big 10-cent show at Burke's opera house Frackville, this evening. 9-21-4

Eight Initiated.

Last night was a gala one for Major Jennings Council, No. 867, Jr. O. U. A. M. Eight candidates were initiated and six propositions for membership were received. Two candidates will be initiated at the next meeting. The council has had uphill work ever since its institution, but it is now on the road to prosperity with a large membership and a healthy treasury.

Grand opening of fall and winter millinery at the Misses Leisig's. 9-23-4

Waters' Weiss beer is the best. John A. Reilly sole agent. 5-6-4

WAS ALL FOR LOVE

WHY EDWARD SEARLES MARRIED MRS. MARK HOPKINS.

MONEY WAS NOT AN INCENTIVE

Interesting Testimony in the Great Will Contest at Salem—Mrs. Searles in Sound Mind When She Signed the Will.

SALEM, Mass., Sep. 23.—At the beginning of the trial of the Hopkins-Searles will case yesterday, all of the contestants were either present personally or represented by distinguished counsel.

The first proceedings were the reading of the petition and will. William W. Dodge, a witness to the will, testified of going from Cambridge to Methuen July 16, 1888, and drawing the will, of Mrs. Searles. It was read to her, and she signed it after declaring that it expressed her wishes. She was to all appearances of sound mind.

Mr. Burleigh, of counsel for Timothy Hopkins, asked that the will of Edward S. Searles, mentioned as having been drawn at the same time, be produced.

Incidental to the discussion of this request, Mr. Lincoln, for the executor, stated that the executor did not concede the right of Timothy Hopkins to appear as the adopted son. Mr. Burleigh requested that both the will and notice recognized the relationship.

Mr. Burleigh pressed the demand for Mr. Searles' will and the Court ruled that it was competent, but declined to postpone the hearing, directing the executors, however, to produce the will.

Mr. Burleigh proceeded to cross-examine witnesses, his main point being the fact that the name "Timothy Hopkins" was written apparently in a different ink and in a blank space left for the name.

Mr. Dodge stated that his impression was that he left the space until he got to Methuen, as he was not sure whether there was a middle initial.

He had been instructed to draw a will leaving all the property to Mr. Searles, and as his duty as a lawyer required, he inserted the section regarding the omission of the name of Timothy Hopkins.

He called the special attention of Mrs. Searles to this and told her he could modify it if she desired, but she stated that it expressed her wishes, and it was executed. Witness took it away and sent it to New York to the executor.

The examination of Edward F. Searles was then commenced. He first met Mrs. Hopkins in March, 1883, at San Francisco, going to her home with a letter of introduction to look over the house. He then detailed his acquaintance and visits to Mrs. Hopkins.

The first proposition of marriage between the two came from Mrs. Hopkins in New York in 1883. He did not assent to it for a year, but in December, 1884, he entertained the proposition; knew at the time that Mrs. Hopkins was born in 1820. He delayed accepting the proposition of marriage to give her a chance to be sure that she was satisfied, and after he entertained it delayed marriage for three years.

In the spring of 1886 went to Florida, as the guest of Mrs. Hopkins, in her private car. He was accompanied by Miss Cass of Great Barrington. Witness, from 1885 to 1887, was superintending the building of Mrs. Hopkins' house at Great Barrington. He has understood that the son Timothy, in connection with the railroad people, managed her affairs; had been told by Mrs. Hopkins that Timothy had objected to the marriage, but had cherished no ill-will toward him for it; the agreement of marriage was entered into in September, 1887, on witness' part because he greatly admired her.

In reply to a question he said that he married her for all she had both love and money, but should never have married her for money alone. Did not know of the will made the day of the marriage, November 8, 1887, until after her death, but did not think it was intentionally made behind his back.

THE LETTERS MADE PUBLIC.

More of the Bardsley Case—Cashier Lively's Resignation.

PHILADELPHIA, Sep. 23.—District-Attorney Graham yesterday gave out to the newspapers the much-talked-of correspondence between Auditor-General McCannan and Cashier Lively on the one side, and ex-City Treasurer Bardsley on the other, which it is contended only needed the corroborative evidence of Bardsley himself to enable Mr. Graham to frame a criminal indictment against Mr. McCannan.

The letters are, in general, an acknowledgment of favors much more valuable than any before referred to in print, and there is an entire lack of any mention of "neckties and handkerchiefs."

Cashier Lively's Resignation.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Sep. 23.—State Treasurer Boyer, on his return to the capital, found the resignation of Cashier Lively awaiting him. It was mailed at Milwaukee, Wis., on August 25. Domestic circumstances are given as the cause.

Buried Alive in a Trench.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., Sep. 23.—While a gang of workmen were digging a deep trench on Washington street for the Water Supply Company's pipes, the earth suddenly gave way, burying one of them completely. It took a half hour of hard digging to release the man, who was nearly dead when found. Several of his bones were broken and such severe internal injuries received that he cannot live.

DESOLATION.

A Vivid Picture of Distressing Inactivity.

"At last we are alone!"
It was the man who spoke.
The woman trembled and lifted her eyes to his face.

They were beautiful eyes, but they were tremulous eyes; eyes which look out from a heart which is irritable, fearful.

He stamped with his heavy foot upon the floor of the room.

The echoes brought back in their invisible arms the sound, and let it ripple out again until it struck the walls once more, and fell into the vast void of silence.

A bat disturbed by the unusual activity, darted from a corner and blindly dashed in eccentric convolutions about the dusty building.

Great ropes of cobwebs hung down from the ceiling, and across the corner of the room dead flies swung lightly in the hammocks the spiders had fastened there.

The dust rose in listless clouds from the shock of the heavy footfall, and sank again, overcome by its own inertia.

Even the air was resting.

The spirit of the desolation of desolation seemed to pervade the place.

The woman looked furtively around upon her dim surroundings and shivered.

The man laughed harshly.

"Alone, I said," he growled.

"Yes," she murmured.

A faint light struggled in through the great windows in front, thick with dust.

"Where are we?" she whispered and shivered as the bat dashed into her hair.

"Listen," he replied hoarsely, "we are in a store which does not advertise."—Detroit Free Press.

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Birthday Parties.

Miss Bertha Griffiths, of Ellengowan, last evening celebrated her 18th anniversary, by holding a party, at which she entertained a large number of her friends in this town, Mahanoy City and neighboring places. Dancing and games made the evening pass very pleasant.

There was a birthday party at the residence of Robert Smith, on West Lloyd street, last evening, in honor of Mr. Smith's daughter, Florence. A large number of young people were present, among them Misses Annie Filer, Mahanoy City; Nellie Brown, Ellengowan; Sadie Zimmerman, Minnie Johnson, Lena Herman, Laura Powell, Mary J. Hopkins, Minnie Davis, Gertrude Goodhead, Mary Lebam and Emily Neary; Archie and Thomas Beard, Brownsville; William Fairlie, Bert Dean, George Powell, William Mader, John Elliott, John Kerslake, Arthur Donahoe, Joseph Bowers, Robert Bostock, Heber Hooks, Harry Argegood, William and Daniel B. Keddail.

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All the latest styles in fall and winter millinery at Leisig's. 9-23-4

Railroad Improvements.

The Lehigh Valley Railroad Company is making many improvements along its line in this vicinity. A gang of workmen are engaged in making a new crossing at Bowers street and material has arrived for a new signalling apparatus, which is to replace the one now in use at the depot, and which does not work satisfactorily.

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Oysters.

Oysters are in season. Go to Schooner's. Families supplied. Parlors for ladies. 9-4-4

Fall and winter millinery opening at the Misses Leisig's, 10 North Main street. 9-23-4

Base Ball.

"Buck" McGuttigan will play with the Tamaqua against the Pottstown club, at Tamaqua, next Saturday.

Fall millinery opening at Leisig's. 9-23-4

Buy Keystone flour. Be careful that the name Leisig & Co., Ashland, Pa., is printed on every sack. 8-3-3aw

IT IS NEAR TIME

You are thinking of taking in your flowers, and you will want some pots. We got a lot of very cheap ones Monday, and when you are ready to plant don't forget that you can get them at

GRAF'S,

No. 122 North Jardin Street.

—FOR SALE!
Two Cars Choice White Oats.
One Car Middlings and Bran.
One Car Chop—All Kinds.
One Car Choice New Timothy Hay.
One CAR OF CORN.

Flour. Flour.
Our best Patent Minnesota Flour is made entirely of Old Wheat, and is equal to any higher priced fancy flour in the market. Our "NORTH-WESTERN DAISY" is made of selected spring wheat and never fails to please. Our "RIVERSIDE" is a popular and high-grade roller flour and guaranteed to give entire satisfaction.

In connection with Flour we recommend the "PERFECTION FLOUR BIN AND SIFTER."

It holds 25 or 30 pounds of Flour—keeps it perfectly clean, free from dust, dirt, flies, bugs and mice, and sifts it out just as you want to use it.

CHOICE GOODS.
Our Fresh Creamery Butter.
Our Fresh Roasted ova Coffee.
Our Old Apple Vinegar—strictly pure.
Our Chipped Beef and Summer Sausage.
Our Pure Spices for Preserving and Pickling.

REMEMBER!
We offer the largest assortment of FLOOR OIL CLOTH we have ever had. Some very handsome new patterns in Tapestry and Body Brussels Carpets.

AT KEITER'S.